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MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM READY

Wilson Will Address Veterans at Arlington Cemetery Tomorrow Afternoon.

Memorial Day services under auspices of the veterans of the civil and Spanish wars will include a parade by the veterans tomorrow morning and services in Arlington Cemetery, where President Wilson will speak in the afternoon.

For the parade, members of the Department of the Potomac, G. A. R., United Spanish War Veterans, Woman's Relief Corps, Sons and Daughters of Veterans and other allied organizations will assemble at 9:30 a. m. at G. A. R. Hall, and from there march to Thirteenth and B streets northwest, where special cars will take them to the cemetery.

Nine Posts of G. A. R.
Capt. John Middleton will act as chief marshal, with Maj. Frederick S. Hodson and S. G. Mawson as aids. A battalion from the National Guard of the District will form an escort, while the Marine Band will furnish the music.

In the parade, in addition to the department officers, nine G. A. R. posts and six United Spanish War Veteran camps will be represented. The services in the amphitheater at Arlington will begin with the assembly call at 1 o'clock. In addition to the military ceremonies, Right Rev. Alfred Hardin, Episcopal bishop of Washington, will give the invocation; H. V. Speelman, past commander-in-chief, S. of V., will read the order establishing Memorial Day; Rev. Henry N. Couden will read Lincoln's Gettysburg address; President Wilson will speak, and Rev. H. G. Gotwald will pronounce the benediction. Music will be furnished by the Marine Band and the National Quartet.

Will Remember Dead Sailors.
Appropriate exercises will also be held at Congressional, Battleground National, Glenwood, Prospect Hill, St. Mary's, Harmony, Northeast Arlington, Holy Rood, Oak Hill, Mount Olivet, and St. Elizabeth's cemeteries.

Exercises under the auspices of the Army and Navy Union will be held in the main section of Arlington Cemetery at 11 o'clock, preceded by a military and naval parade in Pennsylvania avenue, starting at 9 a. m. In addition there will be a memorial floral demonstration upon the waters of the Potomac by fifty "fair sailors" aboard the U. S. S. Sylvia, who will throw flowers upon the water in memory of those lost at sea. The Sylvia leaves at 9 a. m., and at 10 o'clock a salute will be fired from her guns in honor of the dead.

The program at Arlington includes an invocation and benediction by Rev. James S. Montgomery and addresses by Representatives Jacob E. Meeker, of Missouri, and John E. Baker, of California, and Dr. Carlos Manuel de Cespedes, Minister from Cuba. Fitting military ceremonies will be observed, and there will be music by the United States Engineer Band.

CHURCHES RAISE FUNDS FOR WARTIME ORPHANS

Congregations and Sunday school children of most of the churches of Washington contributed yesterday to the relief of European families stricken by the war. Donations were asked particularly for orphaned children in Armenia and Syria. The appeal for these juvenile victims of the war was the first to be made to churches of the United States. Each child was asked to contribute at least 10 cents. The local appeal was sent out by a committee headed by Henry B. F. Macfarland, the call to the churches of the country being made by the Federal Council of Churches of New York.

Quake Makes Ice Water.
Baker, Ore., May 28.—A slight earthquake which shook Eastern Oregon, flooded part of the Baker Country Club golf links with a spring which burst forth within a few hundred yards of a mineral spring. Although the water in the mineral spring is hot, the new spring flows ice cold.

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T. R. and Taft Asked to Boost Preparedness Day

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The following appointments of committee chairmen: Public order, Maj. Raymond K. Fullman; medical aid, Dr. Harry K. Fullman; finance, Isaac Gans; reviewing board, F. D. Owen; and law and legislation, A. Lettich Sinclair. Other committee heads will be announced today.

Funds Needed at Once.
It is expected that the committee will adopt the suggestion that all of the marchers in the preparedness parade should carry a flag. It is thought that the committee will adopt a standard size flag which would add immeasurably to the beauty of the scene on Pennsylvania avenue, with thousands of men and women stretched from the Peace Monument to the Treasury, each one carrying a flag.

Rudolph Kauffmann, treasurer of the executive committee, announced that the subscription list for the expenses of the preparedness parade were now open and that he would be glad to receive and acknowledge all funds placed in the hands of the committee at its headquarters in the Star Building. "No individuals or organizations should stand on the point of an invitation," said Mr. Columbus. "This is the time for action, not formality."

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TRIBUTE TO DEAD FIREMEN IS PAID

Pleas for Pensions Made at Memorial Service at Y. M. C. A.

The need of some adequate provision for the dependent families of firemen who lose their lives in the service was one of the outstanding points in the address of Sergt. C. W. Gill, president of the Firemen's Association, at the joint memorial service in honor of the departed members of the Washington fire department, held last night at the Y. M. C. A.

He stated that in the audience were wives and children who had been left unprotected for by the sudden death of the heads of their families, and that while the fireman was no less subject to discipline and his calling no less hazardous, and no less devoted to the public welfare than that of the soldier, a pension system had been provided for the latter, but none for the fireman.

Senator Thomas Sterling, of South Dakota, said that in one respect the service of the fireman was higher than that of the soldier, for the fireman never fought in an unjust or an unworthy cause.

A large American flag, draped from the running track and stretching to the floor, formed a background for the stage, at the center of which, surrounded by palms, stood a large flower-draped cross. Across the front of the stage ran a long line of candles, one for each of the 107 men who have died in the service. As the secretary, W. A. Smith, called the roll, and there was no answer to the name, the muffled gong was sounded and one by one the candles were extinguished. When the last had ceased to burn, the orchestra played the funeral march of Chopin.

P. T. Moran, president of the Chamber of Commerce, presided, Homer J. Coulter, chairman of the Fireman's Association, gave the invocation, and Rev. Paul A. Menzel, of the Concordian Church, pronounced the benediction, after the audience while standing sang "Nearer My God To Thee."

Program of music included vocal solos by Wilson Oliver and Mrs. E. S. Howard, a cornet solo by Arthur Whitcomb, a saxophone solo by Frank Baptista, and several other numbers by the orchestra.

The Town Crier
Commencement exercises of the National University of Law will be held at the National Theater on June 12. The alumni and students will hold their annual banquet at the Ebbitt on Thursday evening of this week.

The final meeting of the Spanish-American Atheneum will be held Wednesday evening at the residence of Secretary of State and Mrs. Robert Lansing. Speakers will be Rev. Dr. Abram Simon, Bishop Charles Warren Currier, and Senator Catron, of New Mexico.

A recital will be given at Saengerbund Hall this evening at 8 o'clock by the Swiss Harmony Society, of Hudson County, N. Y.

Kappa Pi Pi Fraternity's summer home will be opened this evening at 8 o'clock.

Closing exercises of Miss Timlow's school at 1800 Scott circle will be held this evening at 8 o'clock.

Members of the Home Club will hold a dance at their club house Saturday evening.

Ceremonial of the Shrine will be held in the Arcade auditorium by the Shriner of the District this evening.

Miss Lockie Inez Kline will give a piano recital at the Home Club on Wednesday evening at 8:15 o'clock.

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Cummins (Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska and Iowa).....	74
Sherman (all of Illinois but 4, who are favorable to Roosevelt).....	54
Burton (Ohio complete).....	45
Fairbanks (Indiana and 10 of Kentucky's 26).....	40
Ford (Michigan).....	30
La Follette (North Dakota and 15 of Wisconsin's 26).....	25
Brumbaugh (21 of Pennsylvania's 26).....	21
Hughes (Oregon).....	10
Du Pont (all of Delaware).....	6
Total.....	305

hind him and will command the loyal support of a great many delegates from the West where he is a popular favorite. While it is not believed that he can be the nominee of the convention, it is quite likely that the Republicans from the Middle West and Northwest will put up a plucky fight for him.

"Senator Sherman, Illinois' favorite son; Senator John W. Weeks, of Massachusetts, and Gov. McCall, of the Bay State, will all appear with staunch friends in the convention. Charles W. Fairbanks will start out with his own State of Indiana solidly behind him. But it is the present belief that all the 'favorite sons' boom will crumble up under the advance of the candidates of Justice Hughes and Mr. Roosevelt. The present outlook is for the Burton boom to collapse last, and after the hardest struggle against opposition.

"None of these three are sure of nomination. All the friends of all the favorites admit that. The opinion of many of those best qualified to understand conditions is that Justice Hughes will be nominated on the second, third or fourth ballot unless he does something to take himself definitely out of the race.

"During the last few days there has developed in a few Hughes strongholds a reluctance to nominate the Supreme Court justice blindly. There is an intimation that unless some one with authority defines his views on the vital issues before the nation delegates who are eager to vote for him will seek a favorite elsewhere. This warning was sounded first in formal manner by eleven Wisconsin delegates who are earnestly for Justice Hughes. They explained they would support him if he states his views. They explained that their action is no part of a move to 'smoke Mr. Hughes out' or to embarrass him. They, like some other delegates, have grown somewhat restive as the convention approaches. They are seeking some source where authoritative information about the Hughes attitude on burning issues may be ascertained."

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